GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

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VOLUNTEERS FOR COMMONWEALTH GAMES
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) The amount expected to be raised through ticketing for the Commonwealth Games, Delhi 2010 ;

(b) The number of volunteers required for the smooth functioning of Games ;

(c) Whether the Government has any proposal to provide proper training to the volunteers ;

(d) If so, the action taken by the Government in this regard; and

(e) If not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ, YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR)

(a) The Organising Committee Commonwealth Games, 2010 (OC) has projected a revenue of about Rs.100 crore from ticketing.

(b) to (e):Accordingly to the OC, around 25,000 volunteers may be required for the conduct for the Games, and the necessary training will be provided to the volunteers who are so engaged, for which the modalities are being worked out by OC.